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MONDAY, JUNE 17.

If we had been Mark we would have  
let Tom choose the girl.—New York  
Sun."No man can sit in the McKeesport  
Council and save his soul," is Council-  
man Harry L. Abbott's reason for re-  
signing. We wonder what Mr. Abbott  
would have to say were he a member  
of the Philadelphia Council?The Toledo Bee is boasting because  
a Toledo rooster hatched out a brood  
of five chickens. The conclusion is  
drawn that it was a Democratic rooster  
in that it was opposed to permitting  
the incubator trust to monopolize the  
business.It was the verdict of the Summit  
County Republican convention that the  
Hon. Geo. M. Anderson should not be a  
member of the delegation to the State  
convention. But he will be represented  
by his next friend, City Commis-  
sioner James A. Wilson.It has developed that Gen. Dick's  
generalship is not of an invincible  
quality in Ashtabula county. Repre-  
sentative W. S. McKinnon, whose de-  
feat had been ordered by the Akron  
Congressman, will be re-nominated  
for a third term by what the dispatch-  
es term "an overwhelming vote."The pastor of a church at York, Pa.,  
stopped his services to arrest a man  
who was creating a disturbance at his  
church. No policemen being about, the  
offender was marched to the police sta-  
tion by the pastor. It is hardly nec-  
essary to add that this strenuous ex-  
ample has the approval of the Evangeli-  
cal alliance.Some of the newspapers of Philadel-  
phia want Mayor Ashbridge impeached  
because he gave away \$5,000,000 worth  
of franchises. They insist that the  
Mayor's action is the straw that will  
break the back of the bosses. This  
may be true, but outsiders who have  
noted the zeal and regularity with  
which Philadelphia does her share to-  
ward rolling up that 250,000 majority  
every year for boss-made tickets, are  
not very apprehensive about the backs  
of the bosses.

## HAPPY PHILADELPHIA!

(From the New York World.)

The great public building of Phila-  
delphia, which has been for so many  
years in construction, will on June 26  
be turned over to the Mayor as its rep-  
resentative. The cost of this mighty  
mass of masonry is \$24,000,000, mak-  
ing it political "operation" beside  
which the Tweed Court House seems  
petty larceny.Because of its regard for the char-  
acter and public services of Senator  
Quay, Philadelphia has just presented  
to him and his business associates,  
thirteen great street railroad franchises  
without price or tax or limit—a reward  
of more millions than Britain be-  
stowed upon Marlborough and Wellington  
together.Thus no sooner is one mine of "rev-  
enue" for the politicians worked out,  
than another and richer and deeper is  
opened.Happy Philadelphia! Happy Penn-  
sylvania!

## WISE and

## Otherwise.

Policeman Joe Kempel can never be  
appointed city dog catcher.It began to look as if the clean  
street crusade had petered out.It was real nice of General Dick to  
have the resolutions all ready.Moisture is more necessary to vege-  
tation than to human happiness.No charge for admission to tonight's  
Council meeting. Curtain rises at  
7:30.No sooner does a convention close  
in this city until another is an-  
nounced.Czar Anderson denies that he in-  
spired the position of dog catcher to  
pay off a political debt.Somebody will have to do some tall  
hustling if Mr. Rogers becomes a can-  
didate for Representative.Now is there great joy in the sev-  
eral city departments. Officials will  
have some money to buy fireworks.Father Moran and Father Mahar  
each have abundant opportunity of  
witnessing demonstrations of their  
popularity.One mistake made by the Republican  
convention was that of adjourning  
without having endorsed somebody for  
dog catcher.Will any Akron Councilman follow  
the example of that McKeesport man  
and resign from the Councilmanic  
body for conscience sake?Only think of the danger there'll  
be in shutting up in the pound some  
nice, refined dog along with a pack  
of dirty, uncultivated curs!If Officer Taylor objects to carrying  
a riot gun he might at least carry a  
club. A good stout shillalah is a very  
poet persuader at short range.Good many people asking who's  
who on West Hill. A very large num-  
ber of excellent people live there.  
Their names and lives are above re-  
proach.A disappointment in the conven-  
tion at Akron last Saturday was that  
Gen. Dick did not repeat the Populist  
speech made by him at a recent meet-  
ing of Ohio postmasters.Large number of people very par-  
ticularly interested in Wednesday's  
weather, but the old saying, "Happy  
the bride the sun shines on," has no  
prophectic significance, after all.The rumor to the effect that J. P.  
Morgan had opened negotiations with  
the Board of City Commissioners to-  
ward employing it to manage a group  
of trusts he now has in mind, could  
not be verified.Which was the leading force in Sat-  
urday's Republican convention—Gen.  
Dick or the Czar? The omission of  
Senator Hanna's name from the list of  
celebrities named in the bouquet of  
resolutions is significant.And just to think that "Doc" Sister  
was turned down when he wanted to  
be a member of the County Executive  
committee! He is not following in the  
footsteps of his illustrious prede-  
cessor very fast at that rate.The Cuyahoga Falls Reporter asks  
this plain question of its readers:  
"Row is it that men get intoxicated  
during the Sabbath hours if nothing  
stronger than sulphate is obtained?"  
This question should have been sprung  
before the High school graduates left  
on "the voyage."Kept merchants have contributed  
funds toward the purchase of blood-  
hounds for thief-tracking. The pups  
will be owned and manipulated as a  
private institution, but when not busy  
working for the syndicate may be put  
into public service, providing they're  
not kept away over night."I met a member of the Anti-Saloon  
League today and he was complaining  
because Saturday's Republican con-  
vention failed to endorse the Clark lo-  
cal option bill," said the Observing  
Citizen. "He seemed hopeful, how-  
ever, that the Senatorial convention  
would take care of that.""After all," said the Observing Cit-  
izen, "Mr. Gibbons, of the School  
Board, hasn't much to complain of be-  
cause he wasn't given a chairman-  
ship of a committee. I notice that  
during the temporary absence of a  
member of the Board he enjoys the  
speakership of one committee and is  
second man on three.""I see," said the Observing Cit-  
izen, "that a successful test of a new art-  
ificial gas has been made in Pennsil-  
vania. Pittsburgh and Philadelphia  
men are interested in a company which  
has just built a \$50,000 plant to man-  
ufacture the gas. The point which in-  
terests me is that they claim the  
gas can be made so cheaply that they  
can compete with natural gas. The  
plant was the outcome of experiments.  
Being near a mine of gas coal, slack  
and run-of-mine can be used without  
costing anything for hauling. Now  
what is to prevent there being such  
a plant to supply Akron in case the  
natural gas should give out?"Help wanted or house for rent? Try  
the Democrat's want columns.

## HOUSE

Of Worship Dedi-  
cated Sunday.Members of Fourth  
Church of ChristHave Model New Home  
In Akron.Raised \$5,000 to Apply on Build-  
ing Fund Sunday.The new building of the Fourth  
Church of Christ was informally dedi-  
cated Sunday morning. Rev. L. L.  
Carpenter, of Wabash, Ind., delivered  
an eloquent discourse in the morning  
and afternoon. Prof. Allen Davis  
had charge of the music. The formal  
dedication will be held this evening.  
Pledges to the amount of \$5,000 have  
been received and this will cover  
nearly all of the cost of building.The present building is a model of  
convenience. On the main floor there  
is an auditorium, lobby, and six class  
rooms. In the gallery there is a lobby  
and six class rooms, corresponding  
to those below. The class rooms are  
so arranged that they can all be  
thrown into the auditorium, thus en-  
abling the church to seat comfortably  
about 450 people. The auditorium is  
seated with fine oak pews made by  
the Grand Rapids Seating Co. The  
basement contains a commodious lec-  
ture room, a kitchen, toilet rooms, coal  
and furnace room, and a lobby cor-  
responding to those on the upper floor.  
The church has spared no pains in  
making the building complete in every  
respect.Services will be held all this week,  
as follows:Monday evening, Rev. L. L. Carpen-  
ter will conduct the dedication exer-  
cises.Tuesday evening, Rev. J. G. Slayter,  
will preach.Wednesday evening there will be  
an entertainment under the auspicesFOURTH CHURCH OF CHRIST.  
(Rev. W. D. Van Voorhis, Pastor.)of Arthur Riley and his class of boys.  
The program follows:  
Selection, 20th Century, Musical  
club; song, The Heart's Springtime,  
Mr. E. A. Upham; piano solo, selected,  
Mrs. Elva Beardsley Severns; song,  
The Village Blacksmith, Arthur Riley;  
reading, A Conspicuous Controversy,  
Miss Edna Beardsley; song, O Shining  
Light, Mrs. Richard Ward; bagpipe  
selection, Scotch and Irish airs, Mr.  
John McKay; Royal Scotch piper,  
duet, (sacred), Love Divine, Mr. E. A.  
Upham; Mrs. Richard Ward; song,  
Farewell Sweet Flowers, Miss Elva  
Beardsley; reading, The Raven, Rev.  
W. D. Van Voorhis; song, selected, Mr.  
E. A. Upham; bagpipe solo, Mr. Mc-  
Kay; song, What the Chimney Sang,  
Mrs. Richard Ward; selection, 20th  
Century Musical club; accompanists,  
Miss Cora Hartong, Mrs. Elva Beards-  
ley Severns.Thursday evening Rev. Luther  
Moore of the Third Church of Christ,  
will preach, and Friday evening ser-  
vices will be conducted by Rev. G.  
W. Moore of the Second.

## NEW ROAD

Planned by Akron and Chicago  
Capitalists For Wooster.H. E. Overstreet and Frank B.  
White, of Chicago, and H. B. Camp,  
of Akron, were in the city Saturday  
morning and were in consultation with  
the Executive committee of the Board  
of Trade for a short time, says the  
Wooster Republican. These gentle-  
men were on a prospecting tour and  
were considering the advisability of  
building a steam railroad to new coalfields. After the meeting at Wooster  
they took a drive over the route they  
had in view.

## OUTSIDE VIEWS

Of the Contest For Senatorial  
Honors.J. Park Alexander is out as a can-  
didate in the Summit county Senatorial  
district for state Senator against Sie-  
ber. Alexander only had one term  
when Sieber came out against him and  
won. If J. Park don't get the pins  
knocked from under him this time he  
will be a lucky man.—Wadsworth  
Banner. (Rep.)Hon. J. Park Alexander is out for the  
Republican Senatorial nomination  
against Geo. Sieber over in the Summit  
county district. He says that he has  
tried to keep out of the contest but as  
his health is better and his friends ur-  
gent, he has resolved to give genial  
George "a run for his money."—Medina  
Gazette. (Rep.)A blessing alike to young and old;  
Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Straw-  
berry; nature's specific for dysentery,  
diarrhoea and summer complaint.

## DOWIE

Wanted to be Pro-  
tectedFrom an Insanity Com-  
plaint.Repeated His Claim to Im-  
mortality.Chicago, June 17.—(Spl.)—John Alex-  
ander Dowie announced at his meeting  
in Zion tabernacle yesterday that cer-  
tain physicians of this city had formed  
a plot to kidnap him, lock him in a  
detention hospital and beat him on the  
head and back till he should lose all  
his reasoning power and become  
really insane.With all this Dowie repeated contin-  
ually his pretensions to being ElijahDR. G. W. TUCKER,  
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